AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing will replace all prior versions, and listing, of the claims in the application.

<u>Listing of Claims:</u>

1. (currently amended) A receiving device, comprising;

a broadcast receiving section receiving data by broadcast means;

and a data accept section accepting the data by communication means; wherein:

said broadcast receiving section receives common information common to a plurality of receiving devices; and

said data accept section accepts performs a transmission request of inherent information inherent to the receiving device, said inherent information complementing said common information and not being included in said common information. by indicating an identifier of itself by a communication means while accepting the inherent information according to said identifier.

2. (original) A receiving device according to claim 1, wherein:

said common information is the common information necessary when the data is accepted by the communication means; and

said inherent information is the information inherent to the receiving device necessary when the data is accepted by the communication means, and characterized by further comprising: a write section writing said common information and said inherent information.

3. (currently amended) A receiving device, comprising:

a broadcast receiving section receiving data by broadcast means; and

a data accept section accepting the data by communication means; wherein:

said broadcast receiving section receives permanent information which does not change with the passage of time; and

said data accept section accepts performs a transmission request of variable information which changes with the passage of time, said variable information complementing said permanent information and not being included in said permanent information. by indicating an identifier of itself by a communication means while accepting the variable information according to said identifier.

- 4. (original) A receiving device according to claim 3, wherein: said broadcast receiving section receives the data constituting a hypertest; and said data accept section accepts link information which is information indicating links of the hypertext.
 - 5. (currently amended) A receiving device, comprising:
 - a broadcast receiving section receiving data by broadcast means; and
 - a data accept section accepting the data by communication means; wherein:

said broadcast receiving section accepts receives instruction presence information for accepting instruction information, said instruction presence information indicating an instruction by the communication means, said instruction information being information for notifying the receiving section that there is instruction information which the receiving section is to receive by the communication means, designating as to whether or not the instruction information indicating an instruction is to be accepted by a data accept section of a receiving device among a

plurality of receiving devices, and as to which data accept section of a receiving device is to accept the instruction information; and

said data accept section accepts by requesting the instruction information if the instruction presence information indicates that the instruction information is to be accepted, and said receiving section device includes data execution section executing the instruction indicated by the instruction information accepted by said data accept section.

6. (original) A receiving device according to claim 5, wherein:

said instruction presence information is information indicating presence/absence of an instruction to fetch a mail; and

said instruction information includes a content of an instruction to acquire the mail.

7. (original) A receiving device according to claim 5, wherein:

said instruction presence information is information indicating presence/absence of information indicating a recording reservation, and said instruction information includes information necessary for a recording reservation.